

House Resolution No. 3015

Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has demonstrated exceptional skill as a leader of his peers; and

Whereas, Caleb Ebel of Blue Springs, Missouri, recently received top honors for excellence in competition during the 2004 International DECA Development Conference held in Nashville, Tennessee; and

Whereas, one of seventeen high school students to receive international recognition, Caleb Ebel put forth a tremendous degree of effort while competing with sixteen thousand of the best and brightest high school marketing students from across the United States and Canada; and

Whereas, DECA's internationally recognized program of competitive events uses interviews, tests, role-plays, and written project reports to evaluate marketing and management skills identified by the national business community as essential for success in the business world of today; and

Whereas, an outstanding student at Blue Springs South High School in Blue Springs where he has been named to the Missouri/Kansas All-Star Football Game, Football Team Captain, two time DECA State Finalist, two time National DECA qualifier, and National Merit nominee, Caleb Ebel received Top 10 honors in International DECA Competition in the Financial Services Management Decision Making Event; and

Whereas, Caleb Ebel holds local, state, and national DECA membership and takes pride in the enviable list of achievement he has attained at Blue Springs South High School as a member of DECA, Club IZI, FCA, the Football Team, and his church youth group; and

Whereas, Caleb Ebel has achieved her every ambition with the love, support, and encouragement he has continually received from his proud and loving parents, David and Melanie Ebel; and his siblings, Nathaniel Ebel and Maeghan Weygandt:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Caleb Ebel at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing him only the very best of success in all his future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Caleb Ebel as he is honored at the Missouri Governor's Mansion in Jefferson City on May 14, 2004.

Offered by _____
Representative Brian Yates
District No. 56

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3015, adopted May 12, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker